## SERVICES

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#### CHILD CARE

People interested in providing childcare in their homes on Kirtland Air Force Base for more than 10 hours a week on a regular basis must be licensed through the Family Child Care Program. The FCC program conducts orientations for individuals interested in becoming providers. Call 846-1802.

## **ENTERTAINMENT**

Karaoke and musical entertainment is every Friday, 7-11 p.m. at Kirtland Lanes. Call 846-6851.

2005 Albuquerque/Sante Fe Entertainment Books are available for \$35 each at Information, Tickets and Travel. Supply is limited. Call 846-2924.

## FLIGHT CENTER

Want to learn how to fly? Private pilot ground school is the place to start. Beginning Nov. 9 through Feb. 3 the Kirtland Flight Center will be holding a private pilot ground school every Tuesday and Thursday, 6-9:00 p.m. in the classroom. The course costs \$360, which includes all materials. Call 846-1072.

#### MT. VIEW CLUB

## There will be an Oktoberfest at the Mountain View Club, tomorrow.

For \$12.95 (show your membership card and receive \$2 discount for yourself, family and guests) you and can fill up on an assortment of German foods. After dinner, you can polka to the oompah sounds of Die Polka Schlingels and the watch the Enzian Dancers. Service is 5:30-7:30 p.m. Reservations can be made by calling 846-5165.

There will be a Halloween dinner and dance at the Mountain View Club, Oct. 30. The price is \$9.95 for club members, their family members and guests and \$11.95 for nonmembers. Dinner starts at 5:30 p.m. Entertainment is the Roger Burns Trio. There will also be prizes awarded (in pairs) for best costume, most unique costume and a special "What the heck is that?" costume. Reservations can be made by calling 846-5165.

Karaoke is Thursday, 5:30-9:30 p.m., in the Mountain View Club. Boop Karaoke and DJ Service, featuring more than 10,000 songs, emcee the event. Call 846-5165.

Football Frenzy is every **Monday** night at the Roadrunner Lounge.

Come watch your favorite game! Doors open at 6 p.m. Call 846-1369.

Club dues will be waived while members are deployed if deployment dates are given in advance to Mountain View Club. Call 846-5165.

The Mountain View Club offers lunch Monday through Friday, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Daily specials include: Monday—Italian buffet, Tuesday—Great Choice Day, Wednesday—Asian buffet, Thursday—Southwest buffet and Friday—Fish. An a la carte menu is also available. The club also provides full service catering for private functions. Call 846-5165.

## RECREATION

If you want a great fishing experience, this trip will expose you to some of the best fishing in the state. We will float one of the New Mexico rivers (depending on water and hatches), Nov. 6, and take a whole day to fish from one of the ODR Cataraft Fishing Frames. (Rent one at ODR). Call 846-1499. Cost for the trip is \$100 each. You must have a New Mexico fishing license with a habitat improvement addition which can be obtained at ODR. Call 846-1499.

A thousand years ago the Anasazi people built dramatic adobe dwellings. Chaco Canyon was the center of this civilization. You can join ODR to explore this fascinating area of New Mexico and get in some of the best star gazing and hiking in the state. Trip includes transportation, basic camping equipment and many fun hikes, Nov. 13-14. Cost is \$40 per person. Bring food and drink for the weekend. Call 846-1499.

Join Outdoor Recreation for a morning of Horseback riding in the Sandia Mountains and Cibola National Forest, Nov. 6 and 20. Trip includes horses, guide and transportation. Space is limited. Cost is \$30 per person. Call 846-1499.

Join ODR staff for a super fun introduction to the vertical world of rappelling. This adventure will teach you the basics of rappelling physics, equipment, technique, anchors and safety. Trip leaves at 4 p.m., Nov. 24. and returns around 8 p.m. Age cut of is 12 years old and all participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Class costs \$15 a person and includes all equipment. Call 846-1499.

Join ODR for an educational 3-hour bike ride on the Sandia foothills trails Nov. 9, 5-8 p.m. Designed to help beginner-intermediate mountain bikers. We will focus on riding technique, safety, climbing, jumps, and down hills. All you need is a bike and a helmet. Price, \$20, includes bike rental if needed. Call 846-1499.

# **SERVICES**

Experience the excitement of rock climbing in a one-day adventure course, Nov. 21, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. If you're looking to rock climb and would like to learn "the ropes," this \$60 course is for you. We cover safety, equipment, climbing technique and give you hours of rock climbing experience. All climbing is done on the beautiful cliffs of Cibola National Forest. No previous climbing experience is necessary. Class includes all climbing equipment, experienced instructors, small groups and transportation. Course size is just six, giving you a friendly learning environment. Call 846-1499.

The Avalanche and Back Country Ski Seminar will give you a jump-start on the winter season, Nov. 18, 5-7 p.m. Learn the basics of winter travel, avalanche awareness, snow reading and more. This \$7 course is a prerequisite to the Field Avalanche Course in January and is a great thing to have for future ODR Ski and Snowshoe trips. This Seminar will be held in the ODR Classroom. Call 846-1499.

A great way to get up to speed on the news and events for the 2004-05 ski season is the Black Diamond 2004 Ski Fair, Nov. 19, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Community Center. Featured at the fair are free giveaways, discount tickets, reps from many ski areas, local retailers. Hot chocolate and cookies will be avaliable, watch new ski movies all day. Call Rick Mares, 846-1499.

There will be a Disc Golf Tournament for prizes and fun Oct. 29, 6 p.m.. You must be dressed in your costume to play. Prizes for top contestants and best costume. Competition judged by the Outdoor Recreation staff. \$5 registration fee, you must sign up in advance at Outdoor Recreation. Bring drinks and snacks. Call 846-1499.

Children and adults will have a chance to pet real bats, watch them eat, listen to their hearts with a stethoscope and tune to their sonar on Oct. 30, 2 p.m. Dr. Donna Howell, who brought the falcons for Summer Reading Club, will bring bats and a slide show to the

Kirtland Air Force Base Library. Bats have a bad rap. Only two kinds drink blood, and both are the size of a hamster with wings – far too small to harm humans. Most bats eat fish, fruit, mice, bugs or nectar from flowers. A bat can eat 600 mosquitoes an hour! Beautiful animals with strange faces, they are vital to the ecology. Call 846-1071.

University of New Mexico Lobos football tickets are available for the 2004 season. Cost is \$9 a ticket.

Skills Development Center has a water color class, tomorrow, Oct. 30 and Nov. 5. The cost is \$45 plus supplies. You will receive a list of supplies needed when you sign up. Classes will run from 9 a.m.-noon each week. Call 853-3004 for more information.

## **YOUTH**

Youth Basketball Registration for youths ages 5-18 is underway at the Youth Center. Early bird sign-up ends Oct 30. Sign up early and received a free Youth Programs water bottle and accessory. Anyone interested in coaching a team call

Youth Sports is looking for volunteers to form a sports council for our young athletes. Council members will also serve as sports commissioners for their sport of expertise. Call 853-1892 or stop by and see Tyrone Griffin.

Youth Center is looking for adult volunteers to assist with hosting the Annual Youth Halloween Party Lock-in, Oct. 23, 7 p.m.-7 a.m. Call Robert Bailey, 846-4092.

Parents Night Out at the Youth Center is tonight, 6:30-10:30 p.m. The night is open to children 6-12 years old. Cost is \$10 for members and \$15 for nonmembers.

The Kirtland Youth Center is currently accepting youths from parents who are interesting in the following new instructional classes to be held at the Youth Center:

Computer Classes: Ages 8–18, learn how to browse the Internet, how to use e-mail, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, creating your own Web page. Cost: \$50 a month.

**Guitar Class:** Ages 8–18 learn how to read music, chords, scales, classical guitar picking and standard guitar picking. Cost: \$45 a month.

Ballet/Tap and Jazz Dance Classes: Ages 3–18, learn beginner, intermediate and advanced stages of ballet, tap and jazz. Cost: \$40 a month.

Singing/Dancing/Performing Classes: Ages 3–18, learn to sing, dance at age performance songs and performing arts classes. Cost: \$40 a month. Call the Youth Center, 853-5437, to get on the waiting list.

Cheerleading Classes: Ages 6–18, learn cheers, chants, motions and basic cheerleading stunts. This class is for all skill levels. Cost: \$40 a month

### **CFC Golf Tourney**

The Kirtland Air Force Base's Knights of Columbus are helping host a golf outing to raise money for Combined Federal Campaign. Cost is \$30, time is 1 p.m. on Oct. 29. We will play 9 holes scramble format, Price includes golf, cart, food and prizes. Call 846-1169.



Available tickets: San Diego St.–tomorrow, Wyoming–Nov. 20. Call Information, Tickets and Travel, 846-2924.

A kayak roll clinic covering safety techniques, wet exits, bow rescue and kayak rolling is Nov. 2, 5:30 p.m.-8 p.m. Cost-\$15 for those with personal gear, \$20 for those who do not have their own gear. Cost is \$5 to bring own gear and practice skills on your own. Call 846-1499.

## SKILLS CENTER

The Skills Development Center will have a Christmas Bazaar on Nov. 12. Our vendors will have only first class items that have been hand made, not mass produced by machines. Call 853-3004.

Tyrone at 846-1829. National Youth Sports Coaches Training is provided free of charge.

Youth Programs is accepting signups for our Youth Roller Hockey Program. Teams are being formed to enter in leagues off-base. Call 846-1829.

The Youth Center is looking for volunteer coaches to assist with the upcoming youth Basketball League. Practices will start about Nov. 15 and run for five to six weeks depending on participants. Season will start on or about Jan. 10 and run for approx eight weeks. All coaches must complete the National Youth Sports Coaches Association Certification Training and watch a video on Coaching Youth Basketball. Stop by Youth Programs and see Tyrone Griffin or call 853-1892.